

# MICHIGAN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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# MINUTES OF THE COMMITTEE ON REGULATORY REFORM

Wednesday, March 29, 2017

10:30 a.m.

Room 519 House Office Building

The House Standing Committee on Regulatory Reform was called to order by the Chair.

Members present: Reps. Iden, Bellino, Crawford, Leutheuser, Theis, Webber, Griffin, Hauck,

Hoitenga, Reilly, Moss, Dianda, Chirkun, Liberati, Love, Jones

Absent/Excused: None.

Representative Dianda moved to adopt the minutes of March 22, 2017. There being no objection, the motion prevailed by unanimous consent.

The Chair laid SB 202 before the committee:

SB 202 (Brandenburg) Crimes; gambling; social media internet game providing certain

awards to players; allow.

Joe Martin, Chief of Staff for Sen. Brandenburg, and Peter Ellsworth representing MGM Detroit, testified in support of Sen. Brandenburg's bill. Questions and discussion followed.

The following people submitted cards in support of Senate Bill 202 but did not wish to speak: Dave Murley, Michigan Gaming Control Board Tyrone Sanderr, MGM Grand Detroit Bret Marr, Motor City Casino Shelly Stahl, Greektown Casino

The Chair laid HB 4081 and SB 35 before the committee:

HB 4081 (Barrett) Gaming; bingo and charitable gaming; millionaire parties; provide

for general amendments.

SB 35 (Jones) Gaming; bingo and charitable gaming; millionaire parties; provide

for general amendments.

Substitute (H-1) was previously adopted on March 22, 2017 for HB 4081.

Substitute (H-1) was previously adopted on March 22, 2017 for SB 35.

First Lieutenant Ann McCaffery and Sergeant Matt Williams testified on behalf of the Michigan State Police expressing concerns regarding House Bill 4081 and Senate Bill 35 but did not take a position on the bills. Questions and discussion followed.

William Dobbie representing the Veterans of Foreign Wars testified in support of House Bill 4081 and Senate Bill 35. Questions and discussion followed.

The following people submitted cards in support of House Bill 4081 and Senate Bill 35 but did not wish to speak:

Kim Spalsbury, Grand Ledge Lions Club

Michael Kelly, Grand Ledge Lions Club

Ashley Bur, Michigan United Conservation Clubs

Representative Crawford offered the following amendments to House Bill 4081 (H-1):

- 1. Amend page 10, line 1, after "PLACE" by inserting "IN THE DEMARCATED AREA".
- 2. Amend page 11, line 1, after "CONDUCTED." by inserting "THE RENTAL EXPENSE MUST NOT EXCEED \$1,000.00 FOR EACH EVENT.".

Representative Crawford and Mike Krombeen representing Northville Downs testified in support of the amendments. Questions and discussion followed.

Representative Dianda moved to adopt the amendments. The motion prevailed 15-1-0

## FAVORABLE ROLL CALL

Yeas: Reps. Iden, Bellino, Crawford, Leutheuser, Webber, Griffin, Hauck, Hoitenga, Reilly, Moss, Dianda, Chirkun, Love, Jones.

Nays: Rep. Theis.

Pass: None.

Representative Dianda moved to report House Bill 4081 with recommendation as amended as substitute (H-2). The motion prevailed 13-2-1.

### FAVORABLE ROLL CALL

Yeas: Reps. Iden, Bellino, Crawford, Theis, Webber, Griffin, Hauck, Hoitenga, Reilly, Moss, Dianda, Chirkun, Jones.

Nays: Reps. Liberati, Love.

Pass: Rep. Leutheuser.

Representative Hauck moved report Senate Bill 35 with recommendation as substitute (H-1). The motion prevailed 13-2-1.

### FAVORABLE ROLL CALL

Yeas: Reps. Iden, Bellino, Crawford, Theis, Webber, Griffin, Hauck, Hoitenga, Reilly, Moss, Dianda, Chirkun, Jones.

Nays: Reps. Liberati, Love. Pass: Rep. Leutheuser.

There being no further business before the committee, the Chair adjourned the meeting at 11:07 a.m.

Representative Brandt Iden, Chair\_\_\_\_\_

Ian Mays, Committee Clerk House Regulatory Reform Committee